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The Honorable Jeremiah (Jay) Nixon
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RE: Investigation of service providers in
non-emergency medical transportation contract

Dear Attorney General Nixon:

Recently the state of Missouri awarded a contract to Logisticare, Inc. to provide non-emergency medical transportation for eligible Missouri residents on Medicaid. It has come to my attention that certain current and/or potential service providers may be acting unlawfully in concert, or otherwise restraining trade, and are refusing to negotiate with Logisticare, Inc. in a lawful manner. It is my belief that this matter is appropriate for your investigation in order to determine if the service providers actions, or failure to act, violate state or federal law anti-trust protections, or other prohibited trade practices.

I believe that the actions by these service providers may have a substantial adverse effect on the transition and initial implementation of this very important transportation contract and may impact the state's ability to provide this necessary and mandated service to Missouri citizens.

Your immediate attention to this matter is requested. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact my Chief Counsel, Henry T. Herschel, at 573-751-1851.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael Keathley", written over a horizontal line.

Michael Keathley
Commissioner

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